

AMSC ATTENDANCE BY GS-11s

We know that AMSC graduates are the most important spokespersons for the College. You become the information source for those from your organization or installation interested in learning about AMSC or applying for admission. Because of this, we understand that it is important to provide updates on a variety of College related topics.

You may have heard that the Civilian Personnel Management Directorate announced that "exceptional" GS-11s could apply for Class 95-2 and, in fact, for future classes. We would like to clarify this message and would appreciate your assistance in disseminating the information. Exceptionally well qualified GS-11s will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Along with their applications, they must submit a request for waiver to the eligibility criteria (GS 12- 14s). We anticipate these GS-11s to be those individuals at local posts, camps, or stations who have positions of great responsibility.

We are pleased to have the opportunity to provide professional development to this very select group of GS-11s who have proven their leadership potential.



AMSC BROCHURE

Something new accompanies your copy of *Visions* this time. We have developed an AMSC brochure to publicize the College. We received the first printing just before going to press on *Visions*; graduates are the first to receive a copy. This brochure will give a synopsis of what AMSC offers, to include the Garrison Precommand Course and the General Officer Installation Commanders Course. We hope you will share the brochure with a potential AMSC candidate.

Also enclosed is an application information packet to aid the potential candidate in the application process. This information has been extracted from the PERSCOM Catalog to speed the application process.

Help us spread the word about the College; share these with a colleague.

DID YOU KNOW?

Dr. Ursula Lohmann, Ph. D., AMSC Dean of Academics, was elected to the Board of Directors of the American Society of Training and Development. This organization represents over 55,000 corporate based professionals in the training and development industry worldwide. Additionally, her article, "Leadership Education Lessons Learned" was published in the Summer '94 edition of *The Public Manager*.

Sandra M. Smith, Pilot Class, contributed to the "Army Management Staff College, This is What They are Saying" column in the Winter 1995 edition of the *Image*.

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Ann Price, 89-1, is now a **Diplomate** in the American College of Health Care Financing Administration. She was required to successfully complete an eight hour oral and written examination and meet other credentials. Ann is also a recipient of the Health Care Financing Administration's Administrator's Citation for her work in the design and coordination of a nationwide marketing strategy for military Medicare beneficiaries.

Mark Checchia, 90-1, returned from a 3-month deployment with the National Intelligence Support Team, for NATO's Operation Deny Flight in **Vicenza**, Italy. Deny Flight's mission is to keep the warring parties in Bosnia-Herzegovina from using aircraft in the conflict, as well as to provide air support for United Nations peacekeepers should they become targets of the warring parties. For his service, Mark received the Defense Intelligence Director's Award.

Anna Carter, 90-2, completed a long term training assignment with the Deputy for Logistics, Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations, Logistics, and Environment).

Joy Martin, 90-2, wrote an article entitled, "Learning is the Focus--Technology is the Vehicle", published in the Aug 94 issue of *DFAS, the Accounting Firm* magazine.

Dr. Naim **Qazi**, Class 91-1, has received the U. S. Air Force second highest Exemplary Civil Service award from Ms. Sheila **Windall**, Secretary of the Air Force. Dr. Qazi is the Senior Environmental Engineer with the Air Force Base Conversion Agency responsible for converting Air Force closing bases into community reuse.

Shirley Lemon, 91-3, graduated from the DOD Financial Management Program with a Master's Degree in Public Administration.

John **Baggett**, 92-1, received the 1994 Directorate of Public Works (DPW) Executive of the Year Award at a ceremony in Alexandria, VA, on 6 Dec 94. The Army wide award, named for former Chief of Engineers, William C. **Gribble**, Jr., is presented annually to a DPW Executive in recognition of excellence in managing engineering and housing functions.

Bruce **Schoch**, 92-3, published an article concerning Networking **TRADOC** Schools in the Apr 94 edition of *Transportation Corps*.

Dave Day, 92-3, graduated from the University of New York, Albany Regents, with a Bachelor's Degree in Liberal Arts.

Eleanor Richardson, 93-1, received the Fort Bragg Supervisor of the Year award on 10 Nov 94. Twenty-two individuals from the military and civilian sector were nominated.

Loraine Salerno, Class 93-1, was interviewed for the article "Eating Right, the Army Way," for the April 1995 edition of *Soldiers Magazine*. **Loraine** is Chief, Menu Development Division, Quartermaster Center and School, Fort Lee, VA.

John Seese, 93-1, received a Master's in Management from Webster University. He received 12 credit hours toward his Master's by attending **AMSC**.

Angela Natho and Terry Wheeler, 93-2, wrote articles entitled, "Army Management Staff College, This is What They are Saying," for the Winter 1995 edition of *Image*.

Thomas A. **Eagling**, 94-1, wrote an article "Army Management Staff College, A Graduate Reflects on the Challenges and Opportunities" for the 3rd Quarter, 1994 edition of the *Resource Management Magazine*.

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Ilse Kleiman, 94-2, was accepted into the graduate level Financial Management Program at Troy State University. One of six selected, **Ilse** will receive an MPA after the 1 1/2 year program. She learned about the program from a fellow classmate while attending **AMSC**, so she credits **AMSC** with two great learning experiences in her career.

Curtis Moore, 95-1, has been accepted into the Logistics and Acquisition Management Program (LOGAMP). The program begins in **Jul** 95. LOGAMP is a HQDA career development and staffing program managed by a committee from HQDA Chief of Staff for Logistics, HQDA Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, and the Commander, U.S. Army Materiel Command. The program is designed to enhance the Army Logistics Community through structured and controlled developmental assignments. LOGAMP provides essential technical, managerial, and leadership training for high-potential civilians to meet the Army's requirements for effective acquisition and logistics managers.

Cecilia Solomon, Professor of Resource Management, has been selected to attend the Army War College. Her class begins 1 Aug 95.

Mitch Mitchell, Professor of Military and Strategic Studies, delivered a speech at Carlisle, PA, commemorating the placement of a marker at the grave of a Civil War veteran and Medal of Honor winner.

Lily Waters, AMSC Librarian, was elected as Army Representative to the Armed Forces Libraries Round Table of the American Library Association (ALA). As an education and service organization, ALA is committed to the improvement and expansion of library and information services.

COL Jerre W. Wilson, AMSC Chairman of the Leadership and Management Department, co-authored a paper entitled "Smart Weapons Operability Enhancement Synthetic Scene Generation Process." It was presented by Dr. George Koenig, Research Scientist with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers during the International Society for Optical Engineering Symposium held in Orlando, FL, from 17-21 Apr 95.

Professor Russell A. Vacante's article, "Partnership in Reliability, Maintainability, and Supportability Standards: A Jump Start towards Acquisition Reform," was published in the 1st quarter 1995 edition of **Rac Journal**. The journal distribution includes DOD leadership, professional societies, and industry associations. Dr. **Vacante** is editor of the Partnership in RMS Standards Newsletter for Professionals.

Russell A. **Vacante**, Ph. D., and Paul E. LaBrie, AMSC professors, have been awarded a highly competitive fellowship at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Russia and East European Center. Surviving a rigorous selection process, they have been appointed Research Associates for the 1995 Summer Research Laboratory on Russia and eastern Europe. Dr. Vacante and Mr. LaBrie will conduct research on contemporary issues such as the Russian industrial base and ethnic conflict in the former Yugoslavia. The program began in June 1995.

Professor Paul A. LaBrie was recently admitted into the doctoral program, Conflict Analysis and Resolution, at George Mason University. Upon completion, Paul will earn a Doctor of Philosophy in Conflict Analysis.

Charles Delaney, AMSC Instructional Systems Specialist, won the Annual Armed Forces Golf Tournament at **Kingmills** Golf Resort in Williamsburg, VA, on 22 May 95 with 125 golfers participating. The one-day tournament encompassed installations and bases from the surrounding area to include Fort Monroe and Langley Air Force Base. This was the first time Charles competed in this event.



IMPROVEMENTS AT KNADLE HALL

Knadle Hall is continually striving to improve its services for its customers. The latest information from the billeting office is:

In-room voice mail service was put into on line in mid-November.

New brass luggage carts are being purchased for customer use.

Plans are in effect for new carpet and wallpaper for the lobby and hall areas in FY 95.

Knadle Hall now has a fish pond and fountain in the circular drive area.

DOIM has provided **Knadle** Hall with 59 phones that can be used with personal computers and answering machines,

- A shuttle bus is now provided on Mon and **Thurs** from 1600-1900 to transport students throughout the post. The shuttle makes one trip per hour.